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IN CONGRESS.

Further Addresses in the Senate on the Cuban Question.

Mr Turple Tries to be Funny at the Expense of Two Other Senators.

Metric System Bill Re-committed—Bill to Abolish Compulsory Pilotage Debated.

WASHINGTON, April 8 In the Senate to day a petition from the mayor, aldermen and many citizens of Portsmouth, N H, in favor of the arbitration of the Venezuelan matter, denouncing the atrocities committed on the Armenians and recommending an alliance against the Turks and the seizure of Constantinople, was presented by Mr Gallinger, of New Hampshire, and referred

The bill giving a pension of $50 a month to the widow of Charles S Hamilton, Major General of volunteers, was passed

Mr Teller (Rep, Col) introduced a bill providing that all national banking associations shall keep their reserves in their own vaults, and moved its reference to the Committee on Finance

He said there was a very general impression that the congestion of money in the eastern cities grew out of the practice of country banks keeping their reserves in the city of New York and other "reserve cities" He desired the Finance Committee to inquire whether there was not some way to stop that evil Possibly the banks ought not to be required to keep all their reserves in their own vaults, but they ought to be required to keep a large proportion of them, so as to prevent an accumulation of money in the banks of the reserve cities

Mr Hoar of Massachusetts expressed his approval of Mr Teller's proposition, and hoped that that Senator would succeed in effecting the reform he proposed

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee

The joint resolution introduced by Mr Call (Dem Fla) proposing intervention by the United States in the war in Cuba was taken up and advocated by Mr Turple (Dem, Ind)

He referred sarcastically to the manner in which the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations (Mr Sherman) and the junior Senator of Massachusetts (Mr Lodge) had, up to this date, 'conducted the Cuban campaign' He condemned the 'helpless inertia, delay, altogether irrational obstruction existing in the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations ever since he took refuge in the crypt of the conference committee from which he barely escaped day before yesterday, as if by fire, very much importuned, very glad to be rid of his former action

Mr Turple turned his attention to Mr Lodge, referring to the "jingo jargon of that class of extremists so ably represented here by the gifted junior Senator from Massachusetts—a Senator singularly gifted with the power to clothe an interesting and exciting subject with all the dullness of time-worn commonplaces" (Laughter) It was impossible Mr Turple said, to conceive of a more wholly unlegislative legislative proceeding, a more wholly abnormal proceeding, than the action taken by the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations with reference to the Cuban question

"There could not be a more unfortunate disposition of that matter than that it suffered from the action and reaction of the honorable chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations He had listened to 30 or 30 'addresses by the junior Senator from Massachusetts and to 'remarks' on several occasions by the Senator from Ohio, but all he had been able to gather out of them was that there was war in Cuba and that the Cuban question was a great question (Laughter)

He argued that the Cuban republic was an organized body, it had maintained war twelve years; it had earned for itself the right to recognition as belligerents Mr Turple ridiculed the scene when Mr Lodge 'began, continued and concluded his personal explanation' in reference to the newspaper statement of the Spanish minister

The joint resolution was laid on the table without action and the Senate proceeded to executive business, and afterwards adjourned

In the House

Acting under the operation of the previous question upon the engrossment and third reading of the bill to adopt the metric system of weights and measures in the United States, the House proceeded immediately after the reading of the journal to vote upon it by yeas and nays The result was announced as yeas 110, nays 117 The vote was seen to be exceedingly close, and some minutes were spent in recapitulating the vote and in the changing of votes by members At the last moment Mr Docker, (Dem, Mo) changed his vote from no to yea, thereby changing the result Mr Hurley (Rep, N Y) moved to reconsider the vote and to lay the motion on the table, on which another vote by yeas and nays was ordered

There was a decided change on this vote, the motion to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the vote being defeated, yeas, 111; nays, 113

The vote recurring then on the motion to consider the vote by which the House ordered the engrossment and third reading of the bill that was also ordered to be taken by yeas and nays.

By 141 to 99 it was agreed to reconsider the vote.

Mr C W. Stone (Rep, Pa) moved that the bill be re-committed to Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures Agreed to 130 to 59

Mr Payne (Rep, N Y) called up the bill to abolish the compulsory pilotage system—otherwise known as the bill to relieve American coastwise shipping of unjust discrimination. It was arranged that debate on the bill should continue throughout to-day's session and until to-morrow, at 2 when a vote shall be taken.

Mr. Payne said the original law relating to pilots was passed in 1789 There had been no change in this law as far as coastwise sailing vessels were concerned, though several States had done away with this unjust discrimination against sailing vessels. The estimated pilotage receipts from the tonnage of vessels engaged in the foreign trade, at 18 ports in nine States which could be affected by the bill, were in the year ended June 30, 1895, $555 800 If this bill were passed many pilots might be compelled to retire. He asked, was it the duty of Congress to impose a tax upon commerce to maintain certain individuals in idleness—to pay them for services never rendered?

Mr. Milnes (Rep, Wis) opposed the bill because he believed that the board of steamboat inspectors is not qualified to license sailing vessel pilots.

The passage of the bill was advocated by Mr Simpkins (Rep, Mass) who argued that the existence of the laws in the nine States where the compulsory pilotage system still obtained was a violation of constitutional limitation of class legislation. He said vessel owners had no objection to paying for pilots for services rendered, but did object to being compelled to pay pilots for services not rendered.

Mr. Cummings (Dem, N.Y.) opposed the bill. It was a bill he said, in favor of vessel owners and against pilots. The coastwise trade was in the control of the New England ship owners who paid no tonnage dues, not even clearance and entrance fees, a gratuity of seven or eight millions a year from this government. Congress, while enacting generous protection for ship owners, had done nothing for the pilots.

The report of the conferees on the agricultural appropriation bill was presented and agreed to. The bill as agreed upon by the conferees appropriates $3,203,792, less by $78,120 than the bill carried as it passed the Senate.

The House adjourned.

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McKINLEY'S STRENGTH

In Kentucky is Greater than Bradley's at Present.

The Delegates in Uninstructed and Contested Counties are Uncertain

Mr. Allison's Man Working Hard for His Boom at St. Louis.

LEXINGTON, Ky, April 8 Following is a carefully compiled list of delegates from counties in this State that have held Republican conventions For McKinley 28 counties outside of Jefferson, 382, for McKinley in Jefferson, 123, total 505

For Bradley 33 counties outside of Jefferson, 403, for Bradley in Jefferson, 72, total 475 Uninstructed, 10 counties, 151, contested 2 counties, 47

Two McKinley Delegates

FRANKFORT, Ky, April 8 The seventh district convention today elected two McKinley delegates to the National convention The vote was 64 for McKinley and 54 for Bradley

McKinley Endorsed

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa, April 8 The Republican county convention to day elected delegates to the National convention and adopted resolutions endorsing McKinley

Working for Allison

ST LOUIS April 8 Col Swords, sergeant-at arms of the Republican national committee, is working hard for Allison, of Iowa Today he engaged accommodation for 200 persons at the Lindell and made a new contract with the Planters House for 45 rooms

He has contracted for 12 rooms at Hurst's hotel and accommodation for fifty more Iowa delegates at the LaClede

The colonel thinks the nomination lies between Allison and Harrison

FIRE RECORD.

A Club House Burned

WILKERDING, Pa, April 8 The Westinghouse club house was burned to day Loss $60 000, fully insured

Two Blocks Destroyed

GRAND RAPIDS Mich, April 8 Two blocks in the village of Rockford, 13 miles north of here, were burned this morning Loss, $50 000, insurance, $30,000.

AT LAST AT LAST!

Lot for Theatre Bought in Portland and Work of Erection to Begin at Once

PORTLAND Me April 8 The theatre corporation have bought a large lot of land on the corner of Free and Oak streets and will at once begin the erection of a theatre to cost from $125 000 to $150,000

TURKS MAY REFUSE US

But It Would be Desirable to Have Consulate at Harpoot or Alexandretta.

WASHINGTON April 8 Senator Sherman, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, to-day gave notice of an amendment to the sundry civil bill providing for the appointment of a consulate either at Harpoot or Alexandretta, Turkey

A statement from Secretary Olney was laid before the Senate in which it is said that while the Turkish authorities acquiesced in the establishment of a consulate at Erzeroum they declined to grant exequatur to the vice-consul sent to Harpoot in accordance with the action of Congress at the last session, on the ground that the United States have no commercial interests at the latter place He expressed the fear that a like denial will be encountered this year and requests that a provision be made for a temporary appointment at Alexandretta

"While it is well known," the Secretary says, "that Great Britain has recently obtained exequatur for the vice-consul at Harpoot, it is believed that the opening of a United States consulate there would be found useful In view of the present delay encountered in doing so, after further and careful consideration of the question, I am led to believe that the interests of this country and its citizens residing in Asia Minor would be greatly benefited meanwhile by the establishment of a consulate at Alexandretta, on the coast of Syria, where an officer would be most favorably located for looking after the numerous American missions and schools in that section of the Ottoman empire.'

KNAPP EXPELLED

Report of his Expulsion from Bitlis Confirmed

BOSTON, April 8 A cablegram was received today from an American in Constantinople, confirmatory of the United Press cablegrams, stating that Rev Geo. P. Knapp has been expelled from Bitlis, eastern Turkey, where he has been a missionary of the American Board since 1880. It was stated that he has been taken under guard to Alexandretta where he was at Diarbekir Sunday, having left Bitlis the Sunday previous

The local governor is said to have claimed permission to do as he wished with reference to the expulsion of Mr Knapp Rev R. M. Cole and family and the family of Mr Knapp remain at Bitlis.

BRUISER CORBETT'S CASE.

Charges Nolle Prossed in Court at St Louis

ST LOUIS, April 8 The charges against pugilist Corbett were nolle prossed in Judge Murphy's court this afternoon Prosecuting Attorney Mulvihill declared that the State was unable to make a case. This will result in allowing Corbett to spar in an entertainment during the week. Corbett was arrested charged with violating a city ordinance which prevents boxing in public

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Cuban Struggle

HAVANA, April 8. A committee of ladies of this city and the Bishop of Havana have presented petitions to Captain-General Weyler asking for the pardon of a political prisoner, Jose Cabrera Roque, whose execution is fixed for to-morrow Roque has only one leg, having lost the other at the time he was captured.

The town of La Salud, Havana province, was entered by the insurgents, who sacked several stores and set fire to a number of houses.

General Barges reports the capture of the rebel camp at Jarahueca. In the fight which occurred before the rebels were compelled to abandon their camp, five were killed. The capture of the camp at Ti Arriba, province of Santiago de Cuba, is reported by Gen. Barges. In this engagement the insurgents lost 15 killed and two of the Spanish force were wounded.

Found Rifles and Cartridges buried in the Sand.

NASSAU, N. P., April 8. The British war ship Pelican has arrived here with 300 rifles, 200,000 cartridges and a quantity of other property, all of which was found last Sunday buried beneath the sand on the beach of Cay Sal.

FAIR

And Warmer To-day.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU. WASHINGTON, April 9, 8 P.M.

Indications,

Forecast for Thursday For New England, fair Thursday warmer Thursday night; variable winds, becoming easterly.

Local Forecast

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Ches & Ohio	16	N Y N H & H	40
Chicago & Alton	158	Old Colony	170
" preferred	170	Ont & Western	14
Chic Bur & Quincy	77⅞	Pacific Mail	29⅝
Del Hudson	126½	Pullman Palace	155
Del Lack	150½	Reading	19⅝
Den & Rio Grande	13½	Rock Island	71
" preferred	44½	St Paul	75½
Erie	18	preferred	125¾
Erie preferred	34½	St Paul Min & Man	110
Lake Erie & West	18	preferred	121
Lake Shore	147½	Texas Pacific	7⅞
Louisville & Nash	49½	Union Pacific	8⅝
Maine Central	000	U S Express	43
Mexican Central	10⅝	Wabash, St L & Pac	6½
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The explosion was caused by a premature blast

MURDERER CONFESSES.

Inhuman Wretch Who Butchered the Stone Family at Tallmadge, O, Arrested

AKRON O April 8 John Smith ex hired man of the Stone family three members of which were murdered ten days ago at Tallmadge, was arrested to night Smith confessed that he killed Alvin Stone and wife and Ira Stollson and inflicted severe injuries on Emma and Hattie Stone.

His motive for committing the crime was to assault Flora Stone Ha was discharged by Stone 2 weeks before the crime for paying too much attention to Flora Flora was the only one of the family not injured by the murderer

FEARFUL BRUTALITY

Of a Husband Which Will Cause Death of His Wife

FALL RIVER Mass April 8 Mary Burgoyne is dying at the Swansea poor house as the result of mortal injuries inflicted by her husband on Sunday This afternoon she made a deposition accusing her husband of having jumped on her twice, kicking her several times and striking her severely He was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with assault on his wife Burgoyne claims to be a Parisian, but the men who know him well say he is a half breed Canadian

Some of his friends say he has not been getting along with his wife pleasantly for two years or more She is Irish He married her about six years ago, believing her to have considerable money Shortly after marriage it was noticed by the townspeople that they frequently went on spree together and that Burgoyne spent a great deal of his time in the saloons Sunday he went home in company with Alexis Fincourt and found his wife there A quarrel resulted finally he began to abuse her cutting by severely beating her and jumping on her

Fincourt was held under bonds as a witness Bonds were fixed at $8000 to hold Burgoyne for trial

TRIAL TRIP

Of Battleship Massachusetts to Take Place Along Maine Coast

WASHINGTON, April 8 A letter was received at the Navy Department to day from the Cramp Company of Philadelphia, stating that the new battleship Massachusetts is ready for the accepted trial and suggested that the event should be set for April 18 or 20 This arrangement is satisfactory to the department and one of these dates will be selected The course between Cape Ann Mass, and Cape Porpoise Maine has been selected in accordance with the wishes of the Cramps

MILLINERY OPENINGS

At Bangor Establishments Wednesday

Millinery openings were held yesterday at the establishments of C W Colcda Miss S J Coombs, Mrs F Quinn and Miss M A Clark on Main street and Mrs E Stevens, on Hammond street and they were very successful exhibitions of the beautiful bonnets and hats for spring

Each place was visited by a large number of ladies who always feel assured that there they will find what is the best and most fashionable in millinery The dealers named have choice and extensive stocks of goods of the very latest patterns and much admiration for the handsome millinery was expressed by those who had the pleasure of viewing the fine displays

Spring millinery is gay and elaborate The craze for violets and lavendar tints is carried out in the new hats, and to be ultra swell one must have, not a violet or a lavendar capote, but a royal purple rough straw, laden with flowers in every conceivable tint The cign of the quiet hat is over, and even the black picture hats are so bedizened with jet, steel, rhinestones and flaring muslin or silk poppies as to be more striking than even contrast in colors The white and gold fad is symbolized in the Marie Antoinette hats, which are a combination of soft silk crown, with twisted fold of black and white tulle and a tuft of ostrich tips falling over the left ear Tulle is all the rage

THE COUNOD CLUB.

"Don Munio" to be Sung at the Second Concert on Tuesday Evening April 14th

The Gounod Club will give its second and last concert of the season at Y M C A. Hall next Tuesday evening and there will undoubtedly be an audience present which will test the capacity of the hall "The Legend of Don Munio," a cantata of beautiful music for both soloists and chorus, will be sung. It is a most attractive work.

Mr. C. J. Marshall, the well known baritone, and director of the Gounod Club, will sing the role of Don Munio, Miss Alice McLaughlin, soprano, will sing the part of Donna Maria, wife of Don Munio, and Mr. Samuel H. Boardman, that of Escobedo, chaplain to Don Munio The role of Abadil, a Moorish prince will be sung by Mr. F. A. Edwards, and the role of Constanza, his betrothed, will be taken by Mrs. W. A. Nelson.

The soloist of the evening will be Miss Myrtle Higgins, of Oldtown, and Mrs. R. H. Dunn, of this city, will sing an obligato. Pullen's orchestra and the Weber male quartette will also take part. There will be a chorus of fifty, made up of the best singers in Bangor. Tickets are now on sale at the Y. M. C. A. building and by members of the club.

New Advertisements.

Everybody should read the E. C. Nichols Co.'s advertisement to-day as it is an important one.

Lord & Brandon commend the attention of the public to-day and all should read it.

Millinery opening at Freese's, 80 Main street, today, Friday and Saturday.

Marston & Gatham have new wall paper and mouldings.

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See J. W McClure's insurance notice.

See advertisement of Dirigo Shirt Co.

See T. T Tabor's notice of carpet cleaner

See P. H. Vose & Co.'s notice of odd ware sale

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WASHINGTON NEWS

Contested Election Cases Decided by Committee

WASHINGTON April 8 House Committee on Elections No 3 Mr McCall of Massachusetts chairman to day decided four election cases The case of Murray against Elliot from the first South Carolina district was decided in favor of Mr Murray, colored Republican, the contestant

In the case of Johnson against Stokes from the seventh South Carolina district it is recommended that Mr Stokes Democrat retain the seat

The case of Kerney Populist against Abbott Democrat from the sixth Texas district was decided in favor of Mr Abbott the sitting member

In the case of Ratcliff Populist against Williams Democrat from the fifth Mississippi district the contest was ruled to appear and the committee unanimously recommended that Mr Williams retain the seat

Bankruptcy Bill.

The House Judiciary committee today finished consideration of the bankruptcy bill A copy of the bill was made public Monday for the next session of the committee Friday the Bailey bill will be the unfinished business for the committee bill The Bailey bill is really a voluntary bankruptcy bill except in a few cases where it forces debtor may be forced into bankruptcy it permits a State assignment act to be the basis for a discharge under it

Banking Bills

The House Committee on Banking and Currency today instructed its chairman to secure as early a day as possible for the consideration of the House bill as reported from the committee Considerable pressure has been brought to bear upon the committee to secure the passage of the Hepburn bill providing for the issue of currency to every dollar of full par value of bonds deposited with the treasurer of the United States some time ago

The committee has favorably reported the Brosius bill permitting the organization of national banks with a capital of $25 000 in towns of 3000 inhabitants and the Hooker bill which requires the holders of bank notes issued under the act of 1863 to deposit in the treasury of the United States the funds applicable to winding up the affairs of the bank

New Rifles for the Army

The House Military Committee today ordered a favorable report on the Hepburn bill appropriating $500 000 for new machinery for making a new rifle adopted by the army The bill has the endorsement of the chief of ordnance Gen Flagler who testified before the committee that the army should be made to meet the necessary arising which would make a number of output of the armory a matter of national importance Gen Flagler estimates that the appropriation called for in the bill will make an annual increase of $1 000 in the number of rifles at Springfield

Free Entry of Yachts

Mr Payne of New York introduced in the House today a bill providing that yachts belonging to a regularly organized yacht club of a foreign nation which shall extend like privileges to the yachts of the United States shall have the privilege of entering or leaving any port of the United States without entering or clearing at custom houses or paying a tonnage tax

Boston Symphony Orchestra

On Wednesday evening April 15th a concert by the Boston Symphony Orchestra, seventy musicians Emil Paur director Antoinette Szumowska soloist will be given at City Hall Tickets 50 Half fare rates are offered to those filling concert tickets which can be obtained

Whig and Courier.

BY BOUTELLE BROTHERS.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1896.

A Republican State Convention

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City Hall, Portland,

THURSDAY, APRIL 16th, 1896,

At Eleven O'clock A. M.

For the purpose of selecting six candidates for electors of President and Vice-President of the United States, and four delegates at large and four alternates to attend the National Republican Convention, to be held at St. Louis, Missouri, on Tuesday, June 16th, 1896, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: each City, Town and Plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy-five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1894, an additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

Vacancies in the delegation of any City, Town or Plantation can only be filled by a resident of the County in which the vacancy exists.

The state committee will be in session in the reception room of the hall at nine o'clock, on the morning of the convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates. Delegates in order to be eligible to participate in the convention must be elected subsequent to the date of the call for this convention, and delegates elected under this call, should not be elected to the State convention to be hereafter called for the purpose of nominating a candidate for governor.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in sympathy with the sentiments expressed in the call of the Republican National Committee for the Republican National Convention, are cordially invited to unite with the Republicans of the State in electing delegates to this Convention.

Per order Republican State Committee.

JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman.

BYRON BOYD, Secretary.

Augusta, Maine, Jan. 28, 1896.

Presidential Electors Must all be Chosen in State Convention.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE, AUGUSTA, MAINE, JAN. 28, 1896.

To the Republicans of Maine:—Prior to 1892 two Presidential electors at large, corresponding to the two United States senators, were nominated in State convention, and the remaining electors, corresponding to the members of the United States House of Representatives were nominated by the several congressional district conventions.

The passage of the Australian Ballot law entirely changed the procedure. Under the law, all Conventions are a portion of our election system, and this ballot act requires that candidates to be voted for by the voters throughout the whole state must be placed in nomination by a Convention representing no less a constituency than the whole state. Hence all the candidates of all parties for Presidential electors must be nominated in State Convention, and I have therefore included in the call six electors.

J. H. MANLEY, Chairman.

FOURTH Congressional District

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican Convention of the Fourth Congressional district will be held in City Hall, Bangor, on WEDNESDAY, April 15, 1896, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress and two Delegates and two Alternates to attend the National Republican Convention to be held at St. Louis, Missouri, June 16, 1896, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it. The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town, and plantation will be entitled to one delegate and for each seventy five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1894, one additional delegate and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy five votes, one additional delegate. The District Committee will be in session in the Common Council Room, at two o'clock in the afternoon of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving credentials of delegates.

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E. W. CONANT,
C. H. DUNNING,
E. A. THOMPSON,
Republican Committee for the Fourth Congressional District.

HOULTON, ME., March 9, 1896.

Harry West, the bright gossip writer for the Washington *Post*, has made a discovery calculated to encourage the Reed men. It is that the first State in the union to elect Reed delegates was Massachusetts and that the last letters of the names of the four delegates-at-large give the following result:

Eben S. Draper,
Henry Cabot Lodge,
W. Murray Crane,
Curtis Guild.

Secretary Carlisle's letter relating to the Presidential nomination seems to have a string to it. As one leading Democrat expressed it the Secretary is in doubt as to whether he can secure the nomination. If he fails he will then refer to his letter, saying that he was not a candidate; if the empty honor comes to him there is nothing in the letter to prevent its acceptance. The Boston *Herald* concludes that to get at the real meaning of the letter "one must read the document between the lines." That is the great trouble with Mr. Carlisle's record, the most of it has to be read between the lines, especially his so-called conversion on the currency question.

A few days since we called attention to the emphatic contradiction of the New York *Evening Post's* reference to Speaker Reed's currency record by the Boston *Herald*. Since then the *Herald* has returned to the subject and says:

The New York *Evening Post* is trying to persuade the public that Mr. Reed cannot be trusted on the currency question. But surely no fair-minded man, who is familiar with the record made by him, both as Speaker of the present House, and as leader of the Republican opposition in the House during the two previous Congresses, is at all likely to be misled by our contemporary's effort to prejudice him. The *Post* is biting at a file. To bring it all and all, we should not know where to turn for a better record. It is illegitimate than stand to the credit of Thomas B. Reed.

The kindergarten editor of "the Sunday edition of the Portland *Press*" has broken loose again. This time he denounces the Clerical Club, of Cumberland County, which passed a resolution endorsing the course of Mr. Boutelle, as "sort of a tory band of parsons." It might be well for the Portland *Press* to place a stop-cock on that Sunday edition "faucet." Of the votes cast in opposition to the expediency of interference by the United States in Cuban affairs at this time, nearly half came from New England. Of the thirteen Representatives of Massachusetts, the home of Senator Lodge, eight are recorded in the negative. For the nincompoop editor of the "Sunday edition of the Portland *Press*" to attempt to question the patriotism or love of freedom of these members of Congress is to write himself down an ass.

The Providence *Journal* giving a reason for the large Republican victory in Rhode Island says that the Democratic candidate for Governor realizing that there was no hope for him refused to open a "bar!" and the men who were accustomed to being paid for their votes took no interest in the election. The Republicans finding that the Democrats were using no money expended little themselves, the result being that in places where the two parties had been in the habit of standing up and bidding against each other all day, there was hardly the semblance of a contest." This remark of the *Journal* not only negatives the statement of the Democratic candidate for Governor that the Republicans "bid in" the election, but shows that when the people are let alone by the Democratic boodlers the vote of the party practically disappears. A good deal has been said about the use of money in Rhode Island elections in the past, but it appears from this statement that it was money used by the Democrats to hold its own vote.

Congress and Foreign Affairs.

[Worcester Telegram.]

The discussion of the Cuban resolutions in the House has disclosed a strange reversal of the usual order of things. Congressman Boutelle would naturally be expected to support the resolutions in his characteristically forcible and courageous way, for Boutelle is a warrior, every inch of him, and a strong supporter of the cause of the down-trodden and oppressed. His career in the civil war was one of great bravery. On the other hand, Congressman Hitt, who is a most conservative man, would naturally be expected to oppose the resolutions. But he appears as a forcible supporter of them. It may be that Congressman Boutelle, knowing the horrors of war from actual experience, is less ready than some to take action that might possibly cause war when the country is not in a good condition to engage in a foreign struggle. Congressman Boutelle has many friends in New England outside his district, who know him as a conscientious representative. Whatever his position upon the Cuban matter, they feel that he is acting as he believes he should under the circumstances, though he is undoubtedly as much of a friend of the Cuban cause as any man in the House.

[Lowell Courier.]

The Congressional resolutions in favor of Cuba will not accomplish the recognition of belligerency, overwhelming as was the majority by which they were passed. They are only an expression of Congressional opinion. The Massachusetts delegation was the strongest in opposition, casting more than one-quarter of the negative votes. In this we think they represented home sentiment, though Mr. Knox of this district seems to have thought otherwise. At any rate he was in favor of the resolutions.

[Boston Transcript.]

Congressman Boutelle has with excellent judgment and good sense contended for delay rather than haste in considering matters involving the peace of the country, and on that account has, in a few weeks, earned for himself a national reputation more to be desired than all the laurels earned by him in his previous political career. Friday was another field day for the Maine representative, and he maintained his ground with that firmness, tenacity, and perhaps pugnacity, characteristic of him. He is a fighter by nature; that is, he will not surrender, except on overwhelming compulsion, what he regards as true ground.

There has been a considerable change in Congressional and public opinion since Boutelle first set the ball in motion against hurrying the passage of the act establishing a commission to adjudicate the truth or falsity of Great Britain's claims in Venezuela. Friday he presented for the approval of the American people another illustration of his adherence to the doctrine that the United States should attend to its own business, and not go philandering around the globe to discover causes of quarrel. He has stuck to the real American doctrine with a pertinacity worthy of all praise, and he has his reward today in observing that the House of Representatives really believes in the policy he has recommended and defended, although prematurely committed to an opposite course. Senator Eugene Hale and Representative Boutelle—although lawmakers of decidedly different temperaments—have reflected great credit on the State they represent for their common sense, discrimination between true and bogus patriotism, and for the manner in which they have parried the jingo attacks upon them. The speech that Mr. Boutelle made against the Cuban resolutions reported from the conference committee, ably supported the ground that Congress had better stop interfering in foreign affairs.

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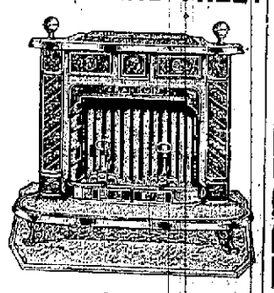

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FOREIGN NEWS.

Rev. Geo. Perkins Knapp now a Prisoner.

Dervishes Recalled to Omdurman—Other Foreign Matters.

LONDON, April 8. The Morning Post publishes a despatch from Constantinople saying that the Rev. George P. Knapp, American missionary, reported to have been secretly expelled from Bitlis, is in jail at Diarbekir, where he is treated as a common malefactor. The despatch adds that he will be sent under an escort to Erzerum, at which place American warships now in Turkish waters will shortly assemble. John W. Riddle, American charge d'affaires, has obtained from the Porte instructions to the Vali of Aleppo to protect the missionaries at Suediah, 18 miles from Antioch, where much alarm is felt owing to an unexplained presence of the troops.

Sketch of Rev. Mr. Knapp.

Rev. Geo. Perkins Knapp who, according to cablegrams from Constantinople, is imprisoned in Diarbekir, Eastern Turkey, is the son of the late Rev. Geo. C. Knapp of Bitlis. He was born in Bitlis in 1863, his father and mother being missionaries of the American Board. He came to the United States to complete his education and was graduated from Harvard College in 1887, and from Hartford Seminary in 1890. He was ordained in Farmington. He was married to Miss Anna J. Hunt, of Barre, Mass., in July, 1890, and embarked the same month with his wife for Turkey.

His sister, Miss Grace Knapp, is also a missionary of the American Board in Bitlis. In 1883, while his father was travelling from Moush to Bitlis in company with Dr. G. C. Reynolds of Van, they were set upon by three Kouds, one of whom was the notorious Mousa Bey, and most cruelly beaten, barely escaping with their lives. The region in which the Knapps have labored has been a difficult one.

The conflict of races has been going on, not only in the city of Bitlis but in the districts near them, in which have occurred those disturbances which have caused such excitement throughout the civilized world, yet notwithstanding the difficulties success is said to have attended missionary labors.

Dervishes Recalled.

Cairo, April 8.—Advices received here from the Soudan say that the news of the departure of the Anglo-Egyptian expedition up the Nile valley spread rapidly beyond Khartoum and along the road from Suakin to Berber. The departure of pilgrims for Mecca has been suspended and the payment of a war tax has been demanded by the Khalifa. The Dervishes at Fashoda and Darfar have been recalled to Omdurman, where the Khalifa expects to assemble 50,000 men by September.

Dispute Virtually Unchanged.

London, April 8.—The foreign office authorities deny the truth of the report that the Venezuela dispute is on the eve of settlement. The position, they say, is virtually unchanged, though the negotiations now in progress gradually tend toward a settlement.

Spanish Naval Project.

Madrid, April 8.—The proposal to ask the Cortes for a credit of 23,000,000 pesetas for the purpose of constructing war ships, which was considered by the cabinet at its meeting yesterday, was not adopted by that body, the council deciding instead to submit to the new Cortes a compromise project for increasing the strength of the navy.

The government has forbidden the meeting of students, which it was proposed to hold in this city today, for the purpose of protesting against the action of the United States House of Representatives in regard to Cuba.

The national party is now proposing to organize an anti-American demonstration. The municipal council of Barcelona has decided to raise and arm a battalion of volunteers.

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA.

New Movement Opens at Chicago—Three Thousand People Present.

Chicago, April 8.—The new movement of the Volunteers of America was formally opened in the Auditorium theatre last night under flattering auspices by the founder and commander, Ballington Booth, aided by his wife and Edward Fielding, late brigadier in command of the northwest division of the Salvation Army.

Three thousand men, women and children in the class which is not usually found at Salvation Army assemblies, cheered, waved small American flags and handkerchiefs and applauded whenever Commander or Mrs. Booth voiced the consecrations and American sentiments which actuated their withdrawal from his father's army.

Bishop Fellows, of the Reformed Episcopal church, presided. Commander Booth recited the circumstances of his trouble, which he termed as "forcible removal from office." When he explained with passionate fervor: "We have not returned to the ranks of the Salvation Army and it is not our intention to return to its ranks," there was an outburst of applause.

DOLAN DIES.

$50,000 Bequeathed to Him by an Uncle at Lynn.

Portland, Ore., April 8.—In June, 1891, there died at the Delevan House a man addicted to the use of opium, known to his associates as Frank Dolan. His death resulted from an overdose of the drug. Wm. Vandenburgh, a hop and wool buyer, for a San Francisco House, and Dolan, had been schoolmates in Boston. He was an intimate friend of Dolan whose true name was Rightmire.

About a month ago Mr. Vandenburgh received a letter from Dolan's sister in Boston making inquiries respecting her brother from whom she had not heard for three years. Vandenburgh says that previously he had not informed Dolan's family of the young man's death, but in response to his sister's letter he advised her of the facts.

Mr. Vandenburgh has just received another letter from the sister in which she deplores the death of her brother and stating that three months ago $50,000 had been bequeathed to Dolan by an uncle who died at Lynn, Mass. Vandenburgh says that he has been commissioned to arrange for the transportation of the remains to Boston.

G. P. A. OF CHICAGO

Will Meet to Consider the Question Regarding Theatrical Rates.

Chicago, April 8.—The general passenger agents of the roads west of Chicago will hold a special meeting in this city the latter part of this week to consider what action shall be taken regarding the theatrical, or ten ride party rates.

The question of putting those rates back or keeping them out permanently will have to be decided very quickly, as theatrical managers are making in advance engagements until they know how much railroad fare they will have to pay. The Milwaukee and St. Paul, Northwestern, Rock Island, Burlington and Quincy, Santa Fe and Alton companies have abolished the rates entirely and are very much opposed to having the tickets again put on sale. One or two of the smaller roads will probably take independent action and put the rates in effect again regardless of consequences.

NEWSPAPER PLANT

Turned Over to Employes by Alden J. Blethen, its Founder.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 8. Alden J. Blethen, founder and editor of the Penny Press of this city, yesterday turned over to the employes of that paper the entire plant of the Penny Press Publishing Co. At a meeting of the employes last night it was decided to continue the publication of the paper on a co-operative plan. The act on the part of Blethen was entirely voluntary on account of his intended departure for the southwest.

OBJECTIONS WITHDRAWN

To the Will of Benj. P. Cheney, the Millionaire.

BOSTON, April 8. Following the advice of the Judges of the Supreme Court, the heirs of Benjamin P. Cheney, the millionaire, who died last July, have decided to withdraw their objection to the will. On what basis the settlement is effected, those interested will not state.

An appeal from a decree of the Probate Court allowing the will was taken by the widow, one son and three daughters, of the testator. Mr. Cheney's estate is valued at $5,000,000.

APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER

For Rhode Island for Granite State Provident Association Asked For.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 8. A petition was presented today in the equitable division of the Supreme Court, asking for the appointment of a receiver for Rhode Island for the Granite State Provident Association. A subpoena was issued by the court, returnable April 11, 1896.

MAY PROVE FATAL.

Citizen of Denver Held Up in His Home.

Hall Attacked by Two Men and Stabbed Twice in the Side.

Denver, Col., April 8. [illegible] formerly instructor in the [illegible] C. A., was held up last [illegible] and now his life is [illegible] came home after dark and [illegible] the hall of his home [illegible] men. Without warning [illegible] spring at him and began [illegible] the head with revolvers [illegible]

They made no attempt [illegible] as the fighting was [illegible] learned they were not [illegible] professional fighter, and [illegible] into requisition and [illegible] side twice. The wounds [illegible] he surgeon and likely to [illegible]

FIRE RECORD.

Cotton Mills Burned.

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga., April 8. The Parke cotton mills were [illegible] night. Loss $15,000; [illegible] hands are thrown out of [illegible]

A Blaze at Whitman.

WHITMAN, Mass., April 8. [illegible] a fire early this morning [illegible] Linden street, occupied by [illegible] vens and Thomas [illegible] families. The family [illegible] of the house were [illegible] their clothing. Loss [illegible] sured.

BRITISH SHIP BURNED

Loaded with Cattle and at San Francisco in Condition.

San Francisco, April 8. [illegible] pouring out of the [illegible] information to a reporter [illegible] occurring at the dock [illegible] is' ship, Bradford [illegible] last night to the [illegible]

The Bradford [illegible] W. Jones, which [illegible] She is the third vessel [illegible] gred owing to [illegible]

Capt. K. [illegible] following story [illegible] 3 we ran into a [illegible] three days after [illegible] ing from Calcutta [illegible] all the vessel [illegible] Everything was [illegible] Monday morning the [illegible] off and the crew [illegible] sailing through [illegible] ered the spars and [illegible] possible. The fire [illegible] flames shot up [illegible] I ordered the [illegible] with provisions [illegible] then over 25 [illegible] ions every minute [illegible] ed Farallones [illegible] hope.

At 11.30 a. m. [illegible] miles inside the [illegible] last came alongside [illegible] the tugs to get [illegible] the vessel will be [illegible] almost entire [illegible] a total loss.

TO JOIN [illegible]

Two Railway Lines of [illegible] Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, April 8. [illegible] federation of the [illegible] tion of street railway [illegible] American Railway [illegible] last night by [illegible] Amalgamated Association [illegible] organizations [illegible] among the yard men [illegible] men and [illegible] Baltimore & Ohio [illegible] operation between the [illegible] upon an offer made [illegible] but just what [illegible] tions will be [illegible] other cannot be [illegible]

It is known that [illegible] amalgamation of the [illegible] a part of the federation [illegible] railway employes [illegible] ption. It is said [illegible] these two organizations [illegible] with the chiefs of the [illegible] locomotive engineers [illegible] and steam railway [illegible]

QUAY DELEGATES

Elected in Pennsylvania.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 8. [illegible] tative districts in the [illegible] delegates to the Republican [illegible] vention yesterday. The [illegible] instructed for Senator Quay [illegible] dent.

PENSIONS GRANTED

Additional to Residents of Maine.

WASHINGTON, April 8. [illegible] ing pensions have been granted [illegible] dents of Maine:

Original: Daniel Nason, [illegible]

Additional—Samuel Adams, [illegible]

Increase—Samuel L. Berry, [illegible]

George Crosby, Lubec, [illegible]

George Kincaid, Waterville, [illegible]

widow—Angelia Andrews, [illegible]

NORWAY FARMER

Suicides by Hanging in his Wood shed.

NORWAY, April 8. Newton [illegible] aged about 60, a well known farmer and business man of Oxford, hanged himself in his wood shed in [illegible] The body was found about [illegible] He had suffered severely from [illegible] with no hope of cure.

REMEDIAL BILL

Still Under Discussion in House of Commons at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 8. The House of Commons has been in [illegible] sion for over 48 hours but no progress is being made with the remedial [illegible] last subsection which passed was at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. No progress has been made since. The House is still on the fourth clause.

WESTBROOK PARTIES HOME

But are Arrested in Boston and Brought to Portland.

PORTLAND, April 8. Wm. Irving and Mrs. Nellie Burnell who eloped from Westbrook, Sunday, were arrested in Boston last night by Deputy Sheriff Chute and brought here today. Mrs. Burnell has gone home and Irving is held on the charge of larceny, having taken a quantity of clothes and dishes belonging to Mr. Burnell.

Old Chopper, Good-Bye.

The modern housewife doesn't need the aid of the chopping knife in the preparation of mince pies. She uses None-Such Mince Meat; chopped, and deliciously seasoned, ready to fill the crust. Made of the very finest, purest and cleanest materials—

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Notice to Brewer and Veazie Water Customers.

All water rates not paid on or before April 20th will be increased 10 per cent, and if not paid before May 1st, will be shut off without further notice. One dollar additional will be charged for turning on.

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RAILROADS.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect April 5, 1896.

Until further notice, trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

6.00 A.M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Pullman Car for Vanceboro.

7.00 A.M.—For Oldtown and all points on E. & A. R. R.

11.20 A.M.—For Oldtown and Milford.

12.40 P.M.—Mixed for Mattawamkeag.

3.00 P.M.—For Oldtown and E. & A. R. R. to Greenville.

5.05 P.M.—For Oldtown, Lincoln, Mattawamkeag, and Houlton via E. & A. R. R.

7.30 P.M.—Night train for all points east of Bangor, in Maine, and for Houlton, Woodstock, Fredericton, St. John and Halifax. Sleeper to St. John.

GOING WEST

7.15 A.M.—For all points West, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, and Moosehead Lake, Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, Phillips and Rangeley, at Portland for Montreal, and Quebec.

12.30 M.—Mixed, for Waterville and way stations, connecting at Burnham for Belfast.

1.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee, with through Parlor Car for Boston via Augusta, for Newport, Dover, Dover and Foxcroft, Monsoon, Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

4.30 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Moosehead Lake via Dexter, and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville inclusive.

8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, and Bath Pullman sleeping cars attached for Portland and Boston.

11.40 P.M.—Express for Portland and Boston. Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.30 and 5.15 P.M. (mixed) 5.15 P.M. except Saturdays and Sundays and 7.00 P.M. Saturdays only. Arrive at Bucksport 8.20 a.m., 10.20 A.M., 6.10 and 8.00 P.M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 6.00 A.M. and 11.30 a.m., 2.00 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 7.05 A.M., 2.35 and 1.1 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 6.50 and 7.55 A. M., and 5.00 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 8.10 and 9.30 A. M. and 5.40 P. M. Morning trains connect for Sullivan and Sorrento.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.30 A. M. and 1.40 P. M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.20 A.M., 12.15 and 5.00 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 6.15 A. M., 1.00 and 5.35 P. M. Arrive in Bangor 10.05, 5.35 and 9.00 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.15 A.M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

8.00 P.M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6.30 A.M., 1.20 (Lewiston), and 11.10 P.M. From Greenville, 10.45 A.M. Houlton 1.20, and from all points on E. & A. R. R., 6.45 P.M. From Milford, 2.10 P.M. Mattawamkeag (mixed), 11.05 A.M.

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland, 1.40 A.M. (daily), and 1.00 and 5.30 P.M., and from Portland, 11.35 A.M. From Waterville, and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter, 9.12 and 11.35 A.M., Sunday, from Boston and Portland, 5.30 P.M. Sunday Pacific train, 11.25 A.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and Day all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER,
Vice President and General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

March 21, 1896 d&w

Bangor & Aroostook R.R

Pullman Buffet Parlor Car between Houlton and Bangor on trains leaving Houlton at 8.40 A. M. and Bangor at 5.05 P. M.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1896.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

7.00 A.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.22 A.M., Milo 8.46 A.M., Brownville Junction 8.58 A.M., Brownville 9.10 A.M., Norcross 9.35 A.M., Shermans 10.58 A.M., Island Falls 11.22 A.M., Smyrna Mills 11.32 A.M., Weeksboro 12.25 P.M., Masardis 1.17 P.M., Ashland 2.05 P.M., Houlton 12.20 P.M., Presque Isle 2.05 P.M., Caribou 2.55 P.M., Fort Fairfield 2.25 P.M., Dover 9.20 A.M., Guilford 9.45 A.M., Monson Junction 10.05 A.M., Greenville 11.35 A.M.

5.05 P.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 5.47 P.M., Dover 6.55 P.M., Guilford 7.00 P.M., Monson Jct. 7.18 P.M., Greenville 8.20 P.M.

5.05 P.M.—For and arriving at Brownville 6.12 P.M., Norcross 7.47 P.M., Sherman 8.48 P.M., Island Falls 9.11 P.M., Houlton 10.05 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

10.00 A.M.—Leaving Greenville 6.05 A.M., Monson Junction 7.05 A.M., Guilford 7.32 A.M., Dover 7.41 A.M., Brownville 7.45 A.M., Milo 8.00 A.M., Lagrange 8.38 A.M.

1.20 P.M.—Leaving Caribou 6.20 A.M., Presque Isle 6.50 A.M., Fort Fairfield 6.30 A.M., Houlton 9.00 A.M., Ashland 9.45 A.M., Masardis 7.37 A.M., Weeksboro 8.35 A.M., Smyrna Mills 8.56 A.M., Island Falls 9.32 A.M., Sherman 9.55 A.M., Norcross 10.55 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works 11.30 A.M., Brownville 11.40 A.M.

4.10 P.M.—Leaving Greenville 2.35 P.M., Monson Junction 3.35 P.M., Guilford 3.50 P.M., Dover 4.05 P.M., Caribou 11.05 A.M., Presque Isle 11.35 A.M., Fort Fairfield 11.10 A.M., Houlton 1.20 P.M., Ashland 9.30 A.M., Masardis 10.25 A.M., Weeksboro 12.25 P.M., Smyrna Mills 1.10 P.M., Island Falls 2.15 P.M., Sherman 2.50 P.M., Norcross 3.12 P.M., Brownville 4.40 P.M., Milo 4.52 P.M., Lagrange 5.07 P.M.

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BREWER LOCALS.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republican voters of the City of Brewer are requested to meet at City Hall, Thursday, April 9th, 1896, at 7.30 P.M., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the District and State Conventions, April 15 and 16, 1896.

District Convention in Bangor, April 16th, 1896.

State Convention in Portland, April 16th, 1896.

Also to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Per Order Republican City Committee,
CHAS. E. LUNT, Chairman.
A. P. BENNETT, Secretary.

Mr. Somes, of Somerville, is in the city on a short visit.

Mrs. F. A. Holt is to leave this morning for Bradford for a visit at her former home in that town.

Mr. Charles Estes is making some repairs and improvements on his home on Chamberlain street.

Prof. C. H. Fernald is improving his residence on Main street by the building of a neat portico on the front.

Mr. Z. C. Shaw has returned home from a business trip to Boston. While there Mr. Shaw purchased three handsome work horses.

The three-masted schooner Anna W. Barker, which has been undergoing repairs on the marine railway at Bucksport, has been put in the water again.

The snow is nearly all gone again, occasional small patches being all that now remain, and the grass is beginning to show green a little in some rare places already.

Mr. Thomas Hunnewell is making quite an improvement on his residence on the corner of Center and Cedar streets by building a neat piazza around two sides of it.

The work of rebuilding the store formerly occupied by Veyo & Puffer, at South Brewer, which was destroyed by fire some weeks ago, is about completed, and the new firm, Vandestine & Puffer, who are to occupy it, will commence to get in their stock in a short time.

A Republican caucus will be held at City Hall this evening for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican District Convention in Bangor, April 15th, and the Republican State Convention in Portland, April 16th. The caucus begins at 7.30 and there should be a full attendance.

At the meeting of the Dirigo Hose Co. held Monday night for the purpose of electing a foreman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late foreman, William Kelley, a choice was made of M. J. Kelley, a brother of the deceased. Fred Getchell was elected a member of the company to keep the membership up to the required number.

The whereabouts of George Campbell and Willie McGlade, the two boys who ran away from home Monday, are still unknown. Tuesday afternoon City Marshal Pickett wired Officer Clancy, of Orono, to keep on the look out for the boys as it was thought that they went to that town. Officer Clancy made inquiry about the boys but found no one who had seen them about town during the day. The Campbell boy formerly lived in Orono and if he made his appearance there he would be quickly recognized by the boys about town.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable, an allegory. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined? Yes, and realized.

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures. The sufferings from an outside, visible hurt, seem mere pin-scratch to the torments of a diseased liver.

But, modrns are ahead of the ancients. There is a sequel to the old story. Dr. Pierce is the author. His "Golden Medical Discovery" is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. Every atom of the "Discovery" is an active agent against disease. It flies like a ferret, wherever it is sent. It is as sure as the needle of the compass. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self.

Mr. W. Rogers, of 807 Grayson St., Louisville, Ky., has this to say for himself and the "Golden Medical Discovery": "I was a dyspeptic. I had not had a comfortable night in six years. I have taken three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I am now fifty years old. I feel fifty years younger." Yours truly,

Willie Rogers

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STEAM SAW MILL FOR SALE.

Will be sold at public auction on the premises at Island Falls, Aroostook County, Maine, on Tuesday, the 28th day of April, A. D. 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, the fine steam saw mill of the Shaw & Morse Lumber Company. This mill is on the Mattawamkeag river at the thriving village of Island Falls; is a new, first-class Rotary mill, with gang edger, feed planer, planer and matcher, shingle and lath machines, electric lighting plant, first-class boiler and engine of 300 horse power. Abundant lumber supply readily accessible, ample water and boom privileges, and Bangor & Aroostook Railroad track running to the mill. No better place to manufacture lumber in Maine. About 700,000 feet logs at mill, which purchaser of mill can buy.

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NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

A semi-annual dividend at the rate of three and one half per cent. per annum was declared by the

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payable on and after Monday, April 6, 1896. All dividends not withdrawn will be immediately credited to depositors and draw interest as principal.

JOHN L. CROSBY, Treasurer.

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Notice to Log Owners.

All owners of logs coming into the Penobscot boom this year, or saw in said boom, are requested to send their marks into the office of the undersigned on or before the fifteenth day of April next.

Per order.

CHARLES H. ADAMS, Clerk.

Bangor, March 26, 1896.

JUMPED THE TRACK.

Ponderous Steam Excavator Goes Through Bridge,

Carrying an Eighty-Foot Span with It—The Switchman Drowned.

TOLEDO, O., April 8. At an early hour this morning a ponderous steam excavator pushed along by a light engine, jumped the track while crossing the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway bridge over the Maumee river, and tearing through the iron work of the structure, carried the whole of an eighty-foot span into the river with it. The engine remained on the track. Elbert Briggs, a switchman, was carried down with it and drowned. The bridge was erected in 1882 at a cost of $250,000.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Nomination of B. J. Franklin Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, April 8. The Senate has confirmed the nomination of B. J. Franklin to be Governor of Arizona.

ELECTION NEWS.

Republicans Elect the Entire Ticket at Lincoln, Neb.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 8. In this city, yesterday, the entire Republican ticket was elected. The Republicans gain one alderman.

Minnesota Cities Hold Elections.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 8. A large number of Minnesota cities held elections yesterday. As a rule, party lines were not closely drawn.

Nebraska Elections Generally Favor Liquor License.

OMAHA, Neb., April 8. Town elections were held throughout the State yesterday, the voting in most places being for or against liquor license. The elections resulted generally in favor of license.

WILL PROBATED

Of Phebe Lane, of Wilton, N. H.

NASHUA, N. H., April 8. The will of Phebe M. Lane, or Wilton, was probated to day. She gives to the Second Congregational church of Wilton, $1,500, and her real estate for the support of the church; to the New Hampshire Orphans' Home, $500; New Hampshire Bible Society at Concord, $600; Aged Women's Home at Nashua, $300.

MORTUARY.

Benjamin Wiggin, of Wolfboro, N. H.

WOLFBORO, N. H., April 8. Benjamin Wiggin, of this town, died last night. He was in his 80th year and was widely known. His son, F. H. Wiggin, is assistant treasurer of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

PASSES ASSEMBLY.

Bill Increasing New York Police Force.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 8. The bill increasing the New York police force by 800 members has passed the assembly.

THINK IT FORGERY.

Check Received at an Amesbury Bank.

AMESBURY, Mass., April 8. A check for $100 was received by a local bank today from a Cambridge bank, the signature to which is believed to be a forgery, as the person on whom it was drawn has no account with the bank here. The person drawing the check formerly lived here. It is a family affair and will probably be settled up.

GOLD

To be Shipped to Europe by New York Parties.

NEW YORK, April 8. Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. will ship $500,000 in gold to Europe on steamship Fuerst Bismarck, to-morrow.

MAINE M. E. CONFERENCE.

Seventy-Second Annual Session Opened at Auburn.

AUBURN, April 8. The seventy-second annual session of the Maine M. E. Conference at Auburn was formally opened at 10 A. M. to-day. Bishop Merrill, detained, was not present at the forenoon meeting. Presiding Elder Palmer, of the Portland District, was temporary chairman. Rev. W. F. Berry, of Waterville, was elected Secretary; Rev. G. C. Andrews, Historical Secretary; Rev. James Wright, Statistical Secretary; Rev. S. Hooper, Conference Treasurer. The Lord's Supper was administered by three presiding elders, Rev. Dr. Hurd, Corresponding Secretary of Church Extension made a twenty-minutes' address on Work Extension.

POSTMASTER

Of the Fourth Class Appointed.

WASHINGTON, April 8. Fourth-class postmasters were appointed to-day as follows: Maine, John A. Curtis, Hargswell Centre.

N. Y. M. E. CONFERENCE.

Report of Committee on Special Resolutions.

At Tuesday's session of the ninety-seventh annual New York Methodist Episcopal church conference, the committee on special resolutions presented the following report:

"Your committee appointed to consider a resolution seeking to secure a vigorous and uniform enforcement of paragraph 240 of the discipline, beg leave to report:

1. We recognize with deepest solicitude the perils resulting to Christian life from the abuse of amusements specified and unspecified in said paragraph.

2. In our opinion the general rule pledging our membership to refrain from "taking such diversions as cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus" affords the fundamental and historic law of the Methodist church on the question of amusement, and suggests the wisest and most effective way of dealing with the subject.

3. Resolved, That this conference memorialize the general conference to carefully consider the constitutionality of paragraph 240 of the discipline."

The diversions referred to in the report are "dancing, playing at games of chance, attending of theatres, horse races, circuses, dancing parties, or patronizing dancing schools."

The report was adopted, after some discussion.

The following paragraph from the report of the committee on temperance was unanimously adopted: "We are glad the revolt against the liquor traffic has borne expression in the act of the present legislature of New York, which, according to the generally conceded opinion of both friends and foes of the measure, will abolish a third of all the saloons in the State and render more easy the enforcement of the law against them."

Pneumonia and consumption follow colds. Johnson's Anodyne Liniment will prevent both.

HEALTH RESTORED BY HOOD'S.

Bradley, Me., Feb. 10, 1890. "After suffering for a year with kidney and other troubles, and not finding the relief in the medicine which I tried I determined to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and three bottles of this medicine entirely restored me to health."—Lena C. Colson.

Hood's Pills cure indigestion, biliousness.

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In the choice of a mount we would say that there are wheels and wheels and wheels. If you want a safe mount—buy a Bangor. Free instruction and the use of a wheel to all purchasers of a '96 Bangor.

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If you would always be healthy, keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier.

MAINE MELANGE.

A Summer Hotel to be Built at Monhegan.

Young Man Drowned by Upsetting of a Boat.

Cumberland.

Lyman Groves, aged, twenty years, son of Henry Groves, of Cousins Island, was drowned Saturday while clamming, probably by the upsetting of his boat. That was found on the shore of the Island Sunday, and it contained the oars and young Groves' cap.

St. Luke's Cathedral, Portland, received a very handsome Easter gift Sunday, in the shape of an elegant brass lectern for use in the chapel. It is a beautiful affair and is in memory of the late Mr. and Mrs. George E. B. Jackson, lifelong members of the Cathedral parish.

The Portland city government passed the salary bill after considerable discussion. The salary of the commissioner of public works was raised to $2,400; that of the superintendent to $1,300. The salary of the clerk of the common council was fixed at $350 a year, others being as follows: Clerk, $1,200; treasurer and collector, $2,500; clerks, $2,000; auditor, $1,400; solicitor, $1,200; assessors, $1,200; marshal, $1,500; chief engineer, $750; electrician, $1,200; physician, $800. A committee was appointed to consider the advisability of establishing a fire commission.

Kennebec.

Miss Iva Fairbanks, of Winthrop, who lost her pocket book and a sum of money at the poverty ball, has recovered the same. The identity of the one who had it was discovered and Sheriff Berry made a demand upon him for the return of the pocket book and the money which it contained. After protestations of innocence the fellow gave up the stolen property.

Knox.

The lumber for the new summer hotel to be built on Monhegan this spring will be shipped from Damariscotta in a few days. The lime will probably be shipped from Thomaston. For a number of years past there have been a constantly increasing number of summer boarders at Monhegan and the hotel has become a necessity.

Col. L. D. Carver has accepted an invitation from Fred Norwood Post, G. A. R., of Rockport, to deliver the Memorial Day oration at that place.

In Rockport resides a man, who never had a dipetor, never rode on the steam cars, has hauled limerock for twenty-six years, and is still hauling at the age of sixty-one.

The members of Edwin Libby Post, G. A. R., of Rockland, have decided to make a change this year in the manner of observing Memorial Day. There will be no procession to the cemeteries. It is a tedious march and another reason for the change is that the crowd following the veterans always do considerable damage to the cemetery. This year details of men will be sent in the forenoon to decorate the graves. The usual procession will occur in the afternoon, but the line of march will be confined to the principal streets of the city. A short address will be made from the balcony of G. A. R. hall and the usual address will be given in the evening at Farwell Opera House.

York.

Saturday afternoon fire broke out in the house of Miss Dorcas Littlefield, at Wells, caused by a defective flue in the chimney. The house and adjoining buildings were burned but considerable of the household goods was saved. No insurance.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hardy Machine Company at Fairfield, these officers were elected: President, Chas. E. Goodwin; treasurer, John H. Burnham; directors, Chas. E. Goodwin, Jesse Gould, Frederick A. Day, Frederick Yates and John H. Burnham, of Biddeford, Rishworth Jordan, of Saco, Fred A. Tarbox, of Fitchburg, Mass.

A queer complication has arisen in Saco. Monday evening, Melville A. Small, a farmer who resides on the Ferry road, petitioned the City Government for permission to dig trenches along the highway, outside the line of travel, and contiguous to the property of several of his neighbors, for the purpose of laying pipes with a view to supplying them with water from his wind mill. His petition was backed by a similar request from all parties named therein. These parties live some distance from the present limit of the water supply of the Biddeford and Saco Water Company, which corporation has a contract giving them the exclusive right to furnish the citizens of Saco with water for domestic purposes. These Ferry road residents have frequently requested the company to extend its water main to accommodate them, but the company has declined to do so on the ground that it wouldn't pay. The question that comes up now is: Has the city a right to grant Mr. Small's petition? An order to do so was passed after some discussion.

TERRIBLY BITTEN.

Large Dog Ferociously Attacks a Small Boy.

William Hock, six years old, of Thatford avenue, near Blake avenue, Brooklyn, was terribly bitten by a big dog Monday morning. It also attacked its mistress, tearing her gown, and ripped into shreds the uniform of Policeman Crook before it was killed.

The dog was owned by Mrs. Mary Earley, of No. 400 Sackman street, and was the pet of all the children in the neighborhood. The Hock family live within a short distance of the Earley home.

Mrs. Hock set out to do some shopping at seven o'clock, taking Willie with her. On the way she stopped to consult Mrs. Earley about some goods she intended to purchase.

While his mother and Mrs. Earley were talking in the dining room Willie went into the hall. The dog lay at the foot of the stairs apparently asleep. As the boy approached the animal sprang to its feet with a growl, and a moment later leaped at the child, knocking him down.

The animal then sunk its teeth into the boy's upper lip, tearing it almost off. The left side of the child's face was also torn by the animal.

Willie's screams brought his mother and Mrs. Early to his side and they succeeded in pulling the dog away.

The animal ran into the street, where it snapped at passing pedestrians.

Mrs. Early succeeded in fastening a rope around the dog's neck and was endeavoring to get the brute into the yard where a policeman would have no trouble in killing it.

Suddenly the dog sprang at her, and before she could escape, tore her dress to ribbons. For fear of wounding Mrs. Earley, Policeman Crook, who had been summoned, refrained from using his revolver. Mrs. Earley let go the rope. The animal was about bounding off when the policeman placed his foot on the rope. Before he could use his revolver he was attacked by the animal and his uniform torn into shreds.

Policeman O'Brien appeared at this time and emptied his revolver into the dog's body. It was not until a club had been broken on its head that the animal was killed.

Willie was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where it was said that his condition was critical.

The dog's brain will be subjected to examination, and should this show that the animal was mad, young Hock will be taken to the Pasteur Institute, in New York.

Telegraphic Notes.

The conferees on the agriculture appropriation bill reached an agreement Tuesday. As passed by the House bill it carried $9,215,892. The Senate increased this by $118,280. The Senate conferees agreed to recede from the amendments carrying $78,120, leaving the bill as agreed to, appropriating $9,302,792, or about $1,000 less than the amount for the current fiscal year. Items of $13,720 for the division of seeds, and $65,000 for the publication of a report on dairy farming, are the more important of those stricken from the bill in the conference.

The plasterers of Local Union No. 31, Pittsburg, Pa., to the number of 500, have demanded a higher wage rate. At a special meeting Tuesday night a uniform rate of $3 per day of nine hours was fixed, to become operative Wednesday morning. The strikers will have the support of the building trades council and the united labor league.

In the Massachusetts House Wednesday, committee on liquor law reported a bill giving to license commissioners removed by mayors of cities for cause a right to have their case reviewed by the Superior Court.

CITY AND VICINITY.

STATE OF MAINE.

By Henry B. Cleaves, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

By the advice of the Executive Council, THURSDAY, the twenty-third day of April, is designated as a day of

Fasting and Prayer.

The Christian people of our State, during its long and brilliant history, have cherished and been accustomed to observe this day, by abstaining from all unnecessary labor, and invoking, amid the surroundings of the home and in places of public worship, the blessings of Heaven upon our Country, our state and her institutions; and by inculcating the principles of righteousness, of truth, of amity and peace.

This revered and time-honored custom, established by the early fathers, is still worthy of preservation and continuance; and may be observed in a befitting manner by all the people of our commonwealth.

Given at the Executive Chamber in Augusta, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twentieth.

HENRY B. CLEAVES.

By the Governor.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Secretary of State.

Resolutions of Respect.

A Corinth correspondent writes: The following resolutions of respect have been adopted, which explain themselves:

Whereas, It has been the will of our Heavenly Father to call home our beloved sister, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Day, and whereas we feel that we would affectionately express our appreciation of the beautiful life she lived among us, be it

Resolved, That by her death the M. E. Church and Sunday School have lost a true and faithful member, and the community an esteemed and respected friend.

Resolved, That the M. E. Sunday School of East Corinth extend its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved husband and daughter in their deep affliction and assure them that she has left, in the memory of all who knew her, an impression for good.

Resolved, That as a lasting tribute to her memory, we strive with His help, whose faithful, humble follower she was, to profit by her example, aiming at the standard of Christian living that she aimed at and which she so perfectly illustrated in her daily life; and although she has gone home and never more can mingle with us here, we are very thankful for her life and Godly influence, and would bow in submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That these resolutions be inscribed upon our records and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

IVY M. E. DAVIS,
MRS. W. R. CLARK,
MRS. I. F. SANFORD,
Committee on Resolutions.

Danforth News.

Our correspondent writes: A. S. Bubar, of Orient, was in town last Saturday.

The hard wood mill of Hathorn, Foss & Co. is to start up on the 10th inst. They have had quite a number of teams hauling logs into the pond during the winter and appear to have a good supply to run the mill the rest of the year.

A. R. Tuck returned from Providence last Saturday, accompanied by his partner in the jewelry business, E. W. McAllister, who is visiting his friends at Orient.

The remains of Mrs. C. C. Langlaugh who died on the cars while coming home from Los Angeles on March 21st, arrived here last Monday and were interred in the cemetery last Tuesday.

Dwight Foster returned from Island Falls last Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Legee is visiting friends in Boston.

While Mrs. Charles Witham and Miss Carrie Swasey were out driving with Brown Jug last Sunday the animal took fright and ran away, throwing the ladies out, but happily they escaped without serious injury.

John Russell is learning telegraphy with D. C. Parker.

Varney Putnam went to Waterville last Thursday to continue his studies at Colby.

The directors of the Danforth Trotting Park are to have a meeting this week when arrangements for the races during the summer will be made. They are to have a meeting in June, July, August and September, and everything looks favorable for a successful season.

About 65 different teams came into town loaded with railroad ties last week. Quite a number of last blocks and other short lumber are also being hauled in.

The starch factory is to begin operations this week, and the farmers will have an opportunity to dispose of some of their tubers.

Dr. M. L. Porter was in St. John last week.

Prof. Abbott, of Brewer, is to open a dancing academy here next Thursday evening.

H. H. Putnam sent some of his crews into the woods this week to make preparations for driving.

J. S. Norcross, of Winn, was in town on business last Tuesday.

A. E. Plummer, of Wytopitlock, was in town last Tuesday.

STATE ASSESSORS.

Assessment of Wild Lands—Benefits of Railroads.

The board of State assessors was in session, Tuesday, at the State House, attending to various matters in the shape of routine business and correspondence.

The board will start in on assessing wild lands May first, taking up Aroostook county which it will visit, May 11.

In assessing the damage to wild lands by fire, considerable judgment has to be shown. This season, especially, will these losses demand attention as there were a considerable number last season. In many cases where there have been fires, the damage has not been great, it having been chiefly confined to brush and small timber.

Of course it is the introduction of railroads which tends over all else to enhance the value of wild land properties. In Aroostook county, the new Ashland branch, and construction of branches to the Fish river section, amongst others, will, in time, make the land in that section very valuable, in addition to its properties as farming land.

In Oxford county, there has recently been a railroad cut through from Rumford Falls to Rangeley Lakes, which is used for passengers, and lumber, and also the Oxford Valley Railroad, which only is for lumber transportation. In Piscataquis county the heirs of the late Ex-Governor Coburn are contemplating the construction of a railroad through the section of wild lands, owned by them, and, it is understood that Judge Bussell and Senator Marston have recently looked over the land, with a surveyor, prospecting for a railroad.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers' Association.

WEDNESDAY, April 8.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, rutabagas turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ⅌ bush	1.40@1.60
Pea, hand picked, ⅌ bush	1.60@1.75
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ⅌ lb	20c
Fair to good	16@17c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ⅌ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ⅌ lb (new)	10c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung, ⅌ lb	7@8c
Choice pealed	7@8c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ⅌ doz	15@16c
HAY—	
Best loose, ⅌ ton	30@12.00
PEAS—	
Improved, ⅌ bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New, ⅌ bu	35c
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ⅌ lb	15@20c
Fowls	00@00c
ONIONS—	
⅌ Barrel	1.75@2.00

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ⅌ box	25c
English butter salt, in 14lb bags, ⅌ bag	25c
in 56lb bags	70c
Liverpool, ⅌ bush	40c
Turks Island	30c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ⅌ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ⅌ lb	17@20
London layers	25@30c
Sultana	25@30c
CURRANTS—	
English, ⅌ lb	10@13c
KEROSENE OIL—	
120 test, ⅌ gallon	12c
150 test	12c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ⅌ gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	20c
OATS	34c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Ile roll, ⅌ barrel	4.75@5.00
Best St. Louis	4.50@4.75
Good family	4.00@4.50
CORN—	
Full weight	40c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs. to bushel	43c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.20
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	90
Spring Wheat, ⅌ hundred	90
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ⅌ hundred	1.00
Coarse	90
GLUTEN MEAL	1.10
FEED FLOUR	1.10
WHEAT	75c

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, ⅌ lb	5c
Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL, ⅌ lb	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	5c
SUGAR—	
Granulated, ⅌ lb	5⅝c
Extra	5¼c
PORK—	
Country clear, ⅌ lb	10c
Western	10c
LARD—	
Bulk, from tierces, ⅌ lb	10c
Home in pails	13c

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STATE OF MAINE

April 1st A D 1896

That on the 31st day of March A D 1896 a Warrant in Insolvency issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of Ezekiel Bartlett of Exeter county of Penobscot and State of Maine, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor upon the petition of said debtor which petition was filed on the first day of March A D 1896 to which said date interest on claims is to be computed that the payment of any debt to him or delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be held at the Probate Court room in Bangor in said County on the 21st day of April, A D 1896 at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Given under my hand the date first above written.

GEORGE F TALL, Deputy Sheriff
As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Bangor Council No 123, Royal Arcanum.
Stated Meeting
THURSDAY Evening at 8 00 A full attendance is desired.
Initiation.

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SPECIAL CONVOCATION M M R A C THURSDAY EVENING April 9 at 7.30 o'clock
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Loans secured by collaterals 4 600 00
Cash in the hands of the company at its principal office 32 50 8
Premiums in the course of collection 40 01 80
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the company at their actual value $41 839 10
Liabilities Dec 31 1895
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims $ 9 3 0 00
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks 1 0 4 3 94
All other demands against the company viz commissions, etc 8 0 8 21
Total amount of liabilities except capital stock and net surplus $185 458 10
Capital actually paid up in cash 0 0 0 00
Surplus over and above capital 4 381 00
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LOCAL MATTERS.

The auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Missions will hold its monthly meeting in the vestry of the Central church to-day at 3 o'clock.

Hon W. W Stetson, State Superintendent of Schools, will address the citizens of Milo and vicinity next Monday evening at the F B. church, Milo.

The regular monthly meeting of the Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Missions will be held at the vestry of the Central church this afternoon at three o'clock

Patents have been granted to Reginald S Talbot, book keeper and Superintendent N M Jones, of the Lincoln pulp mill, on an apparatus for assorting wood pulp chips

Mr Walter Willey, of the firm of M. Willey & Son, dealers in horses, returned from Chicago Wednesday. He brought with him 35 horses, which may now be seen at their stables on Harlow street.

The New England Telegraph and Telephone Co will soon string another copper circuit from this city to Bar Harbor A crew of men will probably go to work as soon as the frost is out of the ground

"The Midnight Bell" company which appeared at the Opera House last night arrived in the city on the afternoon train from Portsmouth, N H The company appears at Togus to-night and at Portland Friday night

Conductor Wellington Sprague, who has heretofore run on the Portland & Skowhegan train has been promoted to division superintendent of the upper course Canadian branch, and has his headquarters at Lanfuster, N H

The Easter gift party at the King's Daughters Home will be held to night from 7 10 till 10 Light refreshments will be served and it is earnestly hoped all interested in the grand work the Home is doing will be present with their offering large or small

At the caucus of the Republicans held at La Grange town hall Saturday evening C C Durgin and Amos Herrick were chosen to attend the State and district conventions This town committee were chosen D H Danforth, G A Blake and Amos Herrick

In the Insolvency Court, on Wednesday the examination of William I L Jewett, one of the parties in the recent Shaw and Morse failure was begun, but was continued to Wednesday, June 3 d, on account of the inability of the assignee, C A Wilbur, Esq of Madison, to be present

Captain Daniel Fernald of Fremont, one of her best known citizens, died on April 3d, at the home of his nephew, Rev O H Fernald, of Searsport, aged 87 years and 6 months Captain Fernald was well known throughout Mount Desert Island where he had resided nearly all his lifetime

Messrs F W Heseltine, of Portland, Percy L Lord, of Calais, and Frank R Partridge, of Augusta, members of the Maine Commission of Pharmacy, held a session in the Common Council room, City Hall, Wednesday Thirteen applicants appeared before them for examination which took all day

Nelson made a shipment of six horses from Waterville to Boston Tuesday and he left on the 9 10 train for the Hub, where he will dispose of them The shipment included one pair of brown mares 16 3 hands high weighing 1 000 each six years old, a small bay mare 14 3 hands weighing about 975, by Artist, a five-year old colt by Dictator Chief, bay, stands 16 hands high and weighs 1 040 pounds and has considerable speed, and a six year old bay horse, standing 15 2, weighing 1 000 pounds The horse was recently purchased by Mr Nelson from John M Hilton, of Madison They will be sold for gentlemen's drivers

Savage & Stratton are drawing plans for a handsome two story building which is now being built for Mr F L Roberts on the Rodick lawn at Bar Harbor, opposite the *Record* office This building will be about 18 feet front and will extend 60 feet in the rear, almost the dimensions of the lot, and will be strictly for business purposes This will allow for three stores on the ground floor 16 feet wide and 60 feet long Overhead there will be offices and rooms The stores will have plate glass fronts and will be fitted up with all modern conveniences for business The front will be artistically finished in a highly ornamental manner, and the whole will be constructed in the most modern style

A short time ago Gov Tomah Joseph, of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians, sent to Governor Cleaves at the State capitol a fine photograph of himself, arrayed in full Indian costume and framed in birch bark taken from trees in his forest home, finely engraved and ornamented with Indian hieroglyphics and sweet grass Governor Cleaves has just returned the compliment by sending to the Indian governor an excellent photograph of himself, accompanied by a letter of thanks, and from the land of the Passamaquoddys comes this response "Governor Joseph has very much respect for Governor Cleaves and is highly pleased that he should be so courteous to him He takes pleasure in thanking His Honor very heartily for the picture and will suspend it in the most sightly place in his lodge"

A rather mean April fool joke was played on a certain Bar Harbor man. While he slept somebody stole his trousers which hung on a chair at his bedside He waited till he heard the servant girl pass his room and he was compelled to call her through the door of his plight She was afraid that this was only a joke on her so she forgot to look him up a pair of trousers. It was near the hour when the dining room would be closed. Upon reflection he bethought himself of a pair of trousers in the next room belonging to a man whom he suspected of playing the joke on him In his room he found a new suit It was about ten sizes too big for him but he wore the summer suit to breakfast much to the astonishment of the owner who was entirely innocent of the joke perpetrated. The wearer refused to believe but that he was the guilty one and later in the day the owner of the clothing received it by express paying 25 cents freight.

The first locality to be visited by the State assessors on their tour of wild land inspection will be Aroostook where they will call May 11. In assessing the damage to wild lands by fire, considerable judgment has to be shown. This season, especially, will these losses demand attention, as there were a considerable number last season. In many cases where there have been fires, the damage has not been great, it having been chiefly confined to brush and small timber. Of course it is the introduction of railroads which tends over all else to enhance the value of wild land properties. In Aroostook county, the new Ashland branch, and contemplated construction of branches to the Fish river section, amongst others, will, in time, make the land in that section very valuable. In addition to its properties as farming land. In Piscataquis county the heirs of the late ex-Governor Coburn are contemplating the construction of a railroad through the section of wild lands owned by them, and it is understood that Judge Buswell and Senator Morston have recently looked over the land, with a surveyor, prospecting for a railroad.

The County Commissioners at their session yesterday made a settlement with Sheriff C. P. Brown.

It looked very much like spring again yesterday with the dust blowing in the streets, and a fairly warm atmosphere.

At the meeting of Bangor Council Royal Arcanum this evening candidates will be initiated after which refreshments will be served.

The civil suit of B. C. Addition vs. W. B. Brady for a note of $86 was on trial before Judge Vose in the Municipal Court yesterday and will be continued today.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular meeting in the parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association building this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Prof. F. B. Denio, of the Bangor Theological Seminary, will deliver his lecture on "Cromwell, his times and his work," in the Congregational church in Houlton next Friday evening.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. has uniformed its messengers with dark blue uniforms trimmed with red braid The new suits look very neat. On May 1st the boys will be provided with bicycles.

A special meeting of Mt Moriah R. A Chapter will be held this evening at which the Grand Officer from the Grand Chapter, Mr F. W. Plaisted, of Augusta, will be present in his official capacity, that of Grand Scribe The mark master degree will be conferred and a banquet will follow.

A "Fair of Days" under the auspices of the Floral Society of the Universalist church will take place this afternoon and evening at the church vestry Supper will be served from 6 to 8, to be followed by an entertainment. The vestry will be opened at 2 o'clock An interesting event is promised

About twenty pounds of nice "home made" candy was left over from the entertainment given Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Co-operative Kindergarten Until it is closed out, it will be on sale at the parlor of Mrs J. M Oak, No 13 Third street Here is an opportunity to assist a good cause

The seniors of the High School who are to give the play "My Lord in Livery" have secured Manager F A Owen, of the Opera House, as "coach" His instruction will prove of great value to them and the presentation will undoubtedly be an entire success The dates have not yet been decided upon

Edward E Row, superintendent of the fish hatchery at Green Lake, shipped from the hatchery during the month of March 25 000 trout eggs to New Hampshire, 40,000 to the Maine commissioner, 10,000 to Washington, D C, 12,000 to Ohio, 10 000 to Rhode Island, 10,000 to Vermont, and one case of salmon eggs each to New Jersey and New York

The steamer Sedgwick is to begin the spring service on the Bar Harbor line Saturday, making her first trip down that day, weather permitting She will leave from Winterport, or if the ice should leave in season, from this city Two trips per week will be made for the present The steamer has just been put in fine condition for the season's service

On Wednesday, Mr E G York, treasurer of Rising Sun Council, No 31, Order of United Friends, paid to Sanford C Smith, beneficiary of the late Elijah Smith, $2,700, and to Otis Gray, beneficiary of the late Mrs Lizzie Gray, $1,350 The total amount paid on both certificates was $6,000, as Mrs Gray received while living $1 500, and ten per cent was paid to each beneficiary within ten days of the proof of death

The steamer City of Bangor left Boston Tuesday night on her first trip east for the spring season. For the first week she will make two trips from Boston, Tuesday and Thursday On Monday, April 13, the three trips a week schedule will go into effect. Capt. Otis Ingraham is in command, purser, A. H. Hanscom, freight clerk, Frank S. Pierce, steward, Fred W Pote The Bangor was not expected in Bucksport before 6 P M, Wednesday She reached Rockland shortly after 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon

A special assembly of Bangor Council, No 5, R & S M, will be held at Masonic Hall, on Wednesday, April 22, at 4 o'clock P M, when all degrees will be conferred A banquet will be served at 6 o'clock A dispensation has been granted to receive and ballot upon applications at the special assemblies to be held Wednesday, April 15th and 22d, at which time all applications must be presented. These gentlemen are entitled to the degrees George B Freeland, James A Chandler, Willard L Bragg, Samuel H Boardman, Isaiah K Stetson, Bangor, William I Wood, Corinna, F. W Parsons, Montague, J Monihan, Jr, S. S. Hutchinson, Fred Snow Nichols, Smith M Inman, Cherryfield, Justin A Walling, Nelson C. Wallace, Henry H. Gray, Millbridge; Ernest A. White, Chas F Wilson, Columbia Falls, George A Parcher, Curtis R Foster, John B Redman, George E. Haskell, James A Bowden, A. W. Greeley, Ellsworth, Jesse Mitchell, C D Foster, William Fennelly, Edwin C. Parker, Albert L Higgins, Alfred E. Conners, Bar Harbor.

HYGIENIC EXERCISE

As Demonstrated by Miss Anny Werner, of Sweden

Hundreds of people have gathered before the window of the store of Rice & Miller in West Market square during the past few days to witness the exhibitions by Miss Anny Werner, the medical gymnast and masseuse instructress of Stockholm, Sweden, with the Whitely exerciser

This exerciser is an arrangement of ring handles attached to the strong elastic ropes fixed to a door jamb, or other convenient wood work for home athletic exercises. It is very simple and efficient in management and was highly recommended by the late Baron Nils Posse and is approved by Prof. Anderson, of Yale. Miss Werner, who is an expert in various kinds of sports, came to this country two years ago and is now under contract with the Independent Electric Company, of Chicago, to exhibit the Whitely exerciser. She believes the Whitely exerciser is the best method for developing the muscles that she has ever seen, except the Swedish free standing gymnastics, which cannot be surpassed by any kind of apparatus.

At frequent intervals during the day Miss Werner uses the exerciser as a practical demonstration and is watched with much interest.

She also gives free advice on physical culture and ladies and children are especially invited to attend the exhibitions and consult her. Miss Werner will be at the store during the remainder of the week giving exhibitions throughout the day and showing the worth of the exerciser as a developer of muscle and a promotor of health.

In the evening Miss Werner speaks to ladies at Y. M. C. A. Hall, in costume, giving practical demonstrations in the way of physical culture. Mrs. Heagan, the graceful bicycle rider, in French costume gives an exhibition of fancy bicycle riding. Miss Werner is exceedingly well posted on physical culture matters and her visit to Bangor will without doubt prove profitable to those who receive instruction from her. She will speak again at Y. M. C. A. Hall this afternoon and Friday evenings.

DELEGATES CHOSEN

To the District and State Conventions by Bangor Republicans

Bangor Republicans held ward caucuses last evening for the choice of delegates to the District and State Republican conventions, the former to be held in Bangor April 15, and the latter in Portland April 16 The result in the different wards was as follows

Ward One

District—John L Cutler, J. W Palmer, T. G. Stickney

State—Marshall Dyer, J H Boyd, A R. Hopkins

Ward Two

District—M J. Desmond, James Gibbons, F O Beal

State—H. R Barnaby, F A Porter, J C Wilson.

Ward Three

District—T. W. Vose, H N Fairbanks, J A. Boardman

State—Charles Hamlin, F H Parkhurst, F H. Appleton

Ward Four

District—L C Davis, J H. Snow B C Addition

State—H. L Mitchell, G F Cameron, J W Leathers.

Ward Five

District—J G Clark, E A Cummings, Edward Stetson.

State—George I Wescott, L C Tyler, I K Stetson

Ward Six

District—G S Chalmers H R Chaplin, C V Crossman

State—L. J Morse, E M Blanding, D W Potter

Ward Seven

District—D M Clark I W Burr, F. J Perkins

State—Joseph H. Gould W B Reed, B. B Thatcher

The delegates from the various wards met later at the Common Council room in City Hall for the election of two delegates at large to each convention The district convention delegates chose Judge F W. Vose chairman of the meeting and Mr E A Cummings secretary Col I K Stetson and Hon William Engel were chosen delegates at large

The State convention delegates chose Alderman F A Porter chairman and F H Parkhurst, Esq, secretary Mayor Beal and Hon William Engel were chosen delegates at large

A MONSTER SEAL

Of a Rare Species Captured at Bucksport

An aquatic sensation was developed yesterday at Bucksport in the killing of a huge seal and its offspring The animals were seen upon the ice in the river and some men went out and after quite a tussle with the mother killed her with a club as she would not leave her young

The animal was a monster, being 8½ feet in length and having a girth of 5½ feet It is estimated that she weighed about 700 pounds The young one had just been born, yet it was as large as ordinary seals about this part of the coast, weighing 100 pounds Its coat is of a beautiful silver gray color and the fur is thick and fine

Mr Arthur M Mason, of this city, who was at Bucksport on business yesterday purchased the young seal and had it brought to Bangor on the afternoon train It was taken to S L Crosby's taxidermy establishment and was viewed with interest by many Those not well up in natural history could not determine whether it was a seal, a sea lion or a walrus and Mr Manley Hardy, of Brewer, was summoned to decide the question

He said it was a species of 'Oojak' or bladder mouth seal, which is very rare nowadays It belongs on the Labrador coast and how the big mother seal wandered so far away from home is a mystery Her carcass will be brought to this city to-day and will be exhibited at S L Crosby's.

Parish Meeting

The 50th annual parish meeting of the Columbia Street Baptist society was held last evening and the following officers were elected

Moderator W A Torrens
Clerk, G. W. E Barrows
Assessors, W L Cobb, E P Sullivan, Henry J Hoemer
Collector, Alex N Anderson
Treasurer W A Danforth
Auditor, F L Hodgkins
Parish Committee R I Clark, C H Phillip, W A Danforth

The treasurer's report showed nearly $2,000 raised for current expenses, all bills paid and $19 in the treasury Besides the usual contributions there have been received these special donations From the Ladies' Serving Circle, $155, E. Low memorial fund, $50, Hannah Jennings memorial fund, $50, Kennedy and Lambert memorial fund, $30; Capt F. H Noble, $25 Several new members were voted in The meeting adjourned for one week

Base Ball Gossip

George Gray, formerly of the Bangors, has made a good impression with the Baltimores on their southern trip and it is probable that he will be retained on the team,

Al Johnson's signed contract for 1896 was received Monday, says the *Kennebec Journal* Johnson has wintered in Chicago

Patsy Rollins will be missed by Fall River as a catcher and batter and by the public as a comedian.

Prof Hinton, of Princeton University, has just completed the invention of an "artificial twirler," which will be utilized in the training of the base ball team. The invention consists of an iron barrel with a bore the circumference of a base ball and an ingenious apparatus by means of which a base ball may be discharged every 20 seconds The Professor is now endeavoring to regulate the speed of his "pitcher" and incidentally is working on a boomerang attachment so the ball will return to the "twirler" in case the batsman fails to hit it.

A O. H Convention

The Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold their next State convention in Houlton, Wednesday and Thursday, May 27 and 28, and arrangements are now being made for low fares on the railroads. The following letter has been sent to the officers of the various divisions in the State:

Office of State Secretary,
A. O. H. of Maine.
Bangor, April 1, 1896.

To the Brothers of the Great Order of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of America:

Gentlemen and Brothers—Time, honored time, makes many changes in the lives of men and the community as well, and we, as members of the largest and most powerful Irish Catholic order, look for the same; and that our delegates may make what changes, for the interest of all members, and in accordance with the usual customs, we have arranged to hold the State convention on the 27th and 28th of May, 1896, at Houlton.

Said convention to open at 12 o'clock M., on the 27th, and trust a full delegation will be present and working under the motto of the order grand results will be attained.

Fraternally yours,
JAS. A. O'NEIL, S. P.,
C. H. SULLIVAN, S. S.
WALTER J. CUMMINS, S. T.

Municipal Court.

W. H. Stewart, search and seizure, $100 and costs and 60 days in jail; 60 days additional in default of payment.

Patrick Shaughnessy and William Kelleher, drunkenness, 30 days in jail each.

John McManus, drunkenness, $3 and costs. Paid.

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CONTESTED ELECTION CASE.

The Oldtown Matter Heard Before Judge Emery Wednesday

In the Supreme Judicial Court on Wednesday, was heard before Judge Emery the contested mayoralty election case of Oldtown, brought by Hon. E B Weeks, the Republican candidate, against whom the returns gave a majority of one vote

The case was opened by the reading, by C A. Bailey, Esq, of Mr Weeks' petition for a hearing in equity on the subject in which he alleged that he as a candidate for mayor of the city of Old'own at the municipal election on March 23rd last received a plurality of the legal votes cast; that the ward officers in counting the ballots had counted votes for his opponent that should have been thrown out as defective, that votes for himself (Weeks) had been thrown out as defective that should have been counted for him; and that the result as declared by the returns, giving Hartwell one majority, was incorrect; The petitioner asked that the court inspect and recount the ballots cast in the election, and if the case should be decided in his favor, that Hartwell be ordered to resign the office to him

M. Laughlin Esq, read the answer of the respondent, Mr. Hartwell This denied that Weeks had a plurality of the legal votes thrown, denied the counting of defective votes for Hartwell, denied the throwing out of votes for Weeks as defective, and denied that the returns do not show the correct result of the vote It contends that the prayer of the petitioner ought not to be granted and that the opening of the packages of ballots by the board of aldermen invalidates the ballots as evidence in the case, claiming that they were broken open without authority of law and that the opening casts doubt and suspicion upon them as true evidence, as although the respondent made no charges there had been, he claimed, an opportunity for tampering with them

Mr Bailey read the statute under which the case could be tried In regard to the legality of the opening of the packages of ballots by the aldermen he said that the law provided that the ballots should be kept for six months as a public record and if the words 'public record' meant anything they meant as a record that was open to inspection by all who wished Mr Weeks petitioned the city council for a recount of the votes and the ballots were opened in the presence of the board and others, Mr Hartwell being represented by Mr Sewall and Mr Weeks by Mr Gould

He did not think the opening of the ballots invalidated them as evidence They as records, needed to be guarded with care and in the recount every precaution was used Those from each ward were opened and counted separately, one being opened and counted and another not being opened until the previous one had been sealed up again in the presence of all Each ballot was inspected separately

The ballots were offered to the court in behalf of the plaintiff and it was asked to inspect the same and ascertain the number for each candidate and decide which, if any be rejected as defective To this the respondent's representative objected

Mr Laughlin said the ballots were broken open on the petition of the plaintiff If they had not been broken open they would have been incontestable evidence The law says they shall be sealed and preserved as a public record and he claimed that it meant preserved sealed The statute makes no provision for the receiving of the ballots as evidence but if they were preserved sealed, he thought they would in common law be admitted The ward officers' returns were prima facie evidence of the result. He then read a number of cases from other States where ballots with which there had been an opportunity for tampering had been excluded as evidence He claimed that the burden of proof as to the safe keeping of the ballots lay with the plaintiff

Mr Bailey said that the law in this State was a peculiar one, differing from that in other States and that if the court was satisfied that the opening of the ballots had been done under proper safeguards, they should be allowed as evidence and that it is admitted that they are evident, under such circumstances He thought he should be able to prove that they had been properly guarded

After a recess City Clerk Madden, of Oldtown, was called to the stand and he identified the bundles of ballots shown him as those delivered to him by the retiring clerk, Mr Woodman, as the ballots of the last election

Ex-City Clerk Woodman testified that he received the bundles of ballots from the ward clerks, sealed, and that they had been kept in his vault under lock and key until delivered to his successor, except during the time of the recount, when he took them out, unsealed and opened them and afterwards sealed them again and returned them to the vault One package had to be opened anyway as the ward clerk's return was in it He thought two aldermen handled the ballots while the others looked on He identified and read a copy of Weeks' petition for a recount.

Dr G G Weld testified that he was an alderman of Oldtown and that he had objected to the granting of the petition of Weeks He protested against the opening of the ballots and he, with Mr. Hartwell left the room and he did not return until they were counting the vote of Ward 4 Mr Sewall as Mr Hartwell's counsel, objected to the opening of the ballots and did not admit the right to open them He thought Mr Weeks was present at the recount Mr Gould and Mr Sewall were there.

J F Gould, Esq, of Oldtown, testified that he was present during the recount He, as city solicitor, stated that the aldermen had a right to open the ballots. Mr Sewall objected to the counting but said he should not raise a question of evidence because of the opening and counting. The ballots were counted on a plain table, Mr. Sewall, himself, the aldermen and others being present. They were counted one ward at a time and the packages were carefully sealed up again, each package being sealed before another was brought out. Each ballot was picked up and held in the sight of all before being counted. He and Mr. Sewall took notes of those claimed to be defective. He was not retained as Mr. Week's counsel at that time.

This closed the testimony. As will be seen, the case thus far rested upon the admissability of the ballots as evidence and upon this point Justice Emery reserved his decision until afternoon. The court then adjourned until afternoon.

When the court opened in the afternoon Justice Emery announced his ruling. He said that on the precise point of the admission of the ballots as evidence he should rule that they were admissable. As to their value as evidence, that would be decided later and depended upon circumstances developed in the examination of the ballots or in evidence. He said he should appoint a master in chancery to examine and count the ballots in the presence of the opposing counsel, the city clerk of Oldtown and such of the aldermen of that city as cared to attend; the master to report to him upon the number of ballots that were admitted legal and upon those which the counsel should deem defective.

Upon agreement by the counsel, Hugh R Chaplin, Esq, was appointed and duly sworn as master The ballots were turned over to him by Clerk of Courts Sweet and his examination of them began yesterday afternoon in his office

AMUSEMENTS

Hoyt's 'A Midnight Bell'

At the Opera House last night one of Hoyt's comedies "A Midnight Bell" was presented before a large audience The play is built on the familiar lines of the well known playwright, with snappy action, absurdities of humor in dialogue and situation, but a popular vote would probably not place it as the A No 1 of Hoyt's comedies

The scenery of act two with its school house and slide and that of act four showing the choir rehearsal in the church gallery was quite elaborate and realistic

The company includes as the leading people Digby Bell who is better known as a star in comic opera, and his wife, Laura Joyce Bell, the contralto who has made a success on many a stage

Mr Bell has the role of 'Lemuel Hill' a sort of village 'Pooh Bah' holding a deacon sheriff selectman etc and his portrayal was a comical one with a suspicion of overdoing however Mrs Bell's 'Lizzie Grant' was energetically acted and her song in act three received the compliment of an encor

Ed Rosway as Martin Tripp was the chief fun maker next to Mr Bell and his songs and dances scored a hit Mr Hirschberg as Napier Keene did good work and the rest of the cast showed much competency

The quartette selections were harmoniously rendered and encored

The waits between the acts were long and tedious

One of the Bravest

The attraction at the Opera House next Saturday night will be a scenic production of the comedy drama One of the Bravest The play deals with life in New York The first act shows a dock with a big steamer lying alongside The second act is a fire engine house, and subsequently the Bowery with a burning tenement and fire escape rescues In the third act an opium joint and lay out are presented in a Chinese locality With lots of specialties it will be an acceptable play to all classes it is promised

Death of Mr Emery Johnson

Hon I C Ryder received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his father in law Mr Emery Johnson of Springfield His death was very sudden and unexpected as he had been ill but a very short time A Bangor physician was summoned late Monday night and Mrs Ryder went to her father's bedside Mr Johnson was one of the most prominent business men of that section of the State and was held in the highest esteem His death will be received with universal sorrow by the county and many friends in other places The family will have the deep sympathy of a host of friends in their bereavement

MARINE JOURNAL.

DOMESTIC PORTS

BOSTON Arr schs Ella Jones and Mizpah from Belfast F E Warren from Searsport C W Dexter from Belfast Lizzie A Cole Mary Chilvers Florence E Walker Martha W Emerson Orland

CITY ISLAND Boulder sch 6th inst Richard Shaw, Philadelphia for Machias Fred Tolman do for Portland.

Sld—Bean Leonard Annie L Clark Joseph Lance Zampa and Sultan M Elias Small Elton Cahill

NEW YORK Sld Mark Hanna Stanpe Marshall Barron Ella

HOOTHBAY Arr Hesperus Watts Camden

CITY POINT Arr Josiah Hallock Bay City New York

HOLMES HOLE AND HARBOR Sld Ella Burton New York for Calais

PERTH AMBOY Arr Nat Ayer Hopkins New York

NEWYARD HAVEN Arr Schs Lizzie Lord Johnson for Bangor

CHARTERS

The market for sailing tonnage remains exceedingly quiet and prices are nominal Quotations to-day are as follows Coal laden schs Portland to Boston 80 cents Coal laden schs Philadelphia to Boston 85 cents Coal laden schs Baltimore to Boston 87½ cents Coal laden schs Newport News to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Hoboken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Perth Amboy to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Weehawken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Reading to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Johnson to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Liberty to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Philadelphia to Boston 85 cents Coal laden schs Baltimore to Boston 87½ cents Coal laden schs Newport News to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Hoboken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Perth Amboy to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Weehawken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Reading to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Johnson to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Liberty to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Philadelphia to Boston 85 cents Coal laden schs Baltimore to Boston 87½ cents Coal laden schs Newport News to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Hoboken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Perth Amboy to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Weehawken to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Reading to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Johnson to Boston 90 cents Coal laden schs Port Liberty to Boston 90 cents

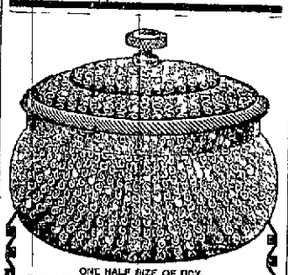
MARRIED.

At Orono April 1 by Rev Mr Cline Richards and Miss Emma L Collier both of Bangor

DIED.

In this city April 8 Beatrice infant child of Fred A and Rebekah B Kingsbury aged 3 months

Funeral Friday at 2 P M



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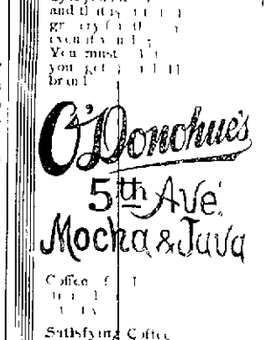

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TEA WHITE

To Contractors and Builders

Sealed proposals will be received at o'clock M Tuesday April 14 for doing all materials and labor and complete a hull frame at the Maine Insane Hospital Augusta On and after Monday April 13 specifications may be seen at the office of Dr H R Stanton Augusta, at the Hospital, at the office of Coombs, Gilbert & Wilkins in the Bank Building Augusta Bids will be received for the entire work or for separate portions of the work as may be deemed advantageous to the Trustees Maine Insane Hospital Augusta, Maine, and to be left at the office of Dr H R Stanton, Superintendent Hospital The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals

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